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PATENT APPLICATION
Attorney Docket No. 22866-013

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANTS: Brian Taylor et al.
SERIAL NO.: 10/038,045 EXAMINER: Not Yet Assigned
FILING DATE: January 3, 2002 ART UNIT: 1651
FOR: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR OPTIMIZING A SECURITY
DATABASE FOR A SELF-SERVICE CHECKOUT SYSTEM

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants hereby petitions for a two-month (2) extension of time to respond to the February 6, 2002, Notice To File Missing Parts of NonProvisional Application in the above-identified application. With the extension, the response is due on or before June 6, 2002. A check in the amount of \$400.00 in payment of the fee required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(2), is enclosed herewith.

Please charge any additional fees that may be due, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Reference No. 22866-013. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

DATE: May 8, 2002



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